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AMENDMENTS IN THE CLAIMS:

(Currently Amended) An LSI, comprising:

a RAM for storing <u>an intermediate code representing a command control</u>
<u>string to be executed by a control section, and</u> an encrypted intermediate code
<u>representing another command control string to be executed by the control section after</u>
<u>first being decrypted:</u>

a ROM for storing an interpreter execution program that is capable of <u>configured to</u> interpreting the intermediate code, <u>and to decrypt and interpret the</u> encrypted intermediate code; and

a CPU for controlling execution of the interpreter execution program, wherein the RAM, the ROM, and the CPU are formed on one chip.

2-3. (Canceled)

4. (Original) An LSI according to claim 1, further comprising:

a recording/reproduction head for recording/reproducing information on an optical disc: and

an optical disc control section for controlling a motor which drives the optical disc,

wherein the optical disc control section is comprised within the control section, and the RAM, the ROM, the CPU and the control section are [is] formed on the one chip.

(Currently Amended) An optical disc apparatus, comprising:

an execution section for executing an interpreter execution program that is capable of configured to interpreting an intermediate code representing a command control string to be executed by a control section, and to decrypt and interpret an encrypted intermediate code representing another command control string to be Serial No.: 10/051.585

executed by the control section after first being decrypted, so as to generate a control command string; and

[a] the control section for controlling recording/reproduction of information on an optical disc according to the control command string.

- (Currently Amended) An optical disc apparatus according to claim 5, wherein the execution section includes:
 - a RAM for storing fant the encrypted intermediate code:
 - a ROM for storing the interpreter execution program; and
 - a CPU for controlling execution of the interpreter execution program.
- (Original) An optical disc apparatus according to claim 6, wherein the RAM, the ROM, and the CPU are formed on one chip.
- 8. (Original) An optical disc apparatus according to claim 7, wherein the control section includes:

a recording/reproduction head for recording/reproducing information on the optical disc:

a motor for driving the optical disc; and

an optical disc control section for controlling the recording/reproduction head and the motor.

- (Original) An optical disc apparatus according to claim 8, wherein the optical disc control section is formed on the one chip.
- (Original) An optical disc apparatus according to claim 5, wherein the intermediate code is encrypted.
- 11. (Currently Amended) An optical disc apparatus according to claim 6, wherein:

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the RAM can store an stores the encrypted intermediate code and {an} the unencrypted intermediate code: and

the interpreter execution program can interpret both the encrypted intermediate code and the unencrypted intermediate code.

- 12. (New) An LSI according to claim 1, wherein the RAM, the ROM, and the CPU are formed on one chip.
- 13. (New) An LSI according to claim 1, wherein the intermediate code represents user customized command control strings, and the encrypted intermediate code represents vendor proprietary command control strings.
- 14. (New) An optical disk apparatus according to claim 5, wherein the intermediate code represents user customized command control strings, and the encrypted intermediate code represents vendor proprietary command control strings.